IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

For: Method and Apparatus to Autonomically Select Instructions for

Selective Counting

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Five (5) Terminal Disclaimers are being filed and charged separately. No additional fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

A one (1) month extension of time is believed to be necessary. I authorize the Commissioner to charge the one (1) month extension fee of \$120.00 to Yee & Associates, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-3157. No additional extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an additional extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to Yee & Associates, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-3157.

In response to the Office Action of February 26, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.